

## Message Text

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ACTION DLOS-09

INFO OCT-01 NEA-10 ISO-00 EB-08 OES-06 INR-07 /041 W  
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R 270800Z APR 77  
FM AMEMBASSY MUSCAT  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 3193

C O N F I D E N T I A L MUSCAT 0682

E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: PLOS  
SUBJECT: LOS: MATERIALS ON U.S. POSITION

REF: (A) MUSCAT 0647, (B) STATE A-1596, (C) STATE A-1647

1. APPRECIATE MATERIALS ENCLOSED WITH REPAIRS, WHICH JUST RECEIVED. WE PLAN TO SCHEDULE ANOTHER MEETING WITH ZAHER AL-KINDI AT EARLIEST POSSIBLE TIME AND WILL PASS HIM COPY OF AMBASSADOR RICHARDSON'S STATEMENT ON FINANCING OF DEEP SEABED MINING. WE WILL DRAW ON OTHER MATERIALS TO BRIEF HIM ON U.S. POSITION. OMAN WAS REPRESENTED AT EVENSEN CONSULTATIONS ONLY THROUGH ITS PERMREP. IN GENEVA WHO WAS ASKED TO FOLLOW THE DISCUSSIONS. WE GATHER FROM RECENT CONVERSATION WITH KINDI THAT OMANGOV DOES NOT YET HAVE FULL PICTURE OF DEVELOPMENTS THERE.

2. COPIES OF REF C THAT WE RECEIVED ENCLOSED MEMCON WITH AMBASSADOR MACKI AND UNDERSECRETARY ROWAS BUT DID NOT ENCLOSE MEMO ON TRANSIT OF STRAITS MENTIONED IN BODY OF AIRGRAM. THIS WOULD BE HIGHLY USEFUL DOCUMENT TO PASS TO KINDI, EVEN THOUGH MACKI MAY HAVE TRANSMITTED IT ALREADY. WE REQUEST TEXT BE CABLED TO US IF PRACTICAL.  
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